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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant(s) hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated 09/03/2008 finally rejecting Claims 1-22 and 24-35 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. \square An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on for month(s).
- 2. A Petition For Extension Of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 is attached hereto.
- 3.
 A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 10-0750/VTN568CIP3/KAH.

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